

# sandiegocountylibrary EVENTS

#### **Alpine Branch Library**

2130 Arnold Way, Alpine, CA 91901

Phone: (619) 445-4221

\*\*FREE Wi-Fi\*\*

### May 2013



#### **Library Hours**

Tu & Th: 9:30AM – 8PM Wed 9:30AM – 6PM

FS: 9:30AM - 5PM; Closed Sun & Mon

#### INFANTS & TODDLERS (age 0-2):

**Baby Storytime**: Every Friday – 9:45 – 10:15 a.m. Enjoy simple reading, rhymes, music and movement with your baby.

#### PRE-SCHOOLERS (age 2-5):

**Local Heroes Storytime:** May 8 – 10:30-11 a.m. – A volunteer from Search & Rescue will bring working animals for you to meet. Learn what these smart dogs do for a job, and listen to a story or two. All Preschoolers welcome!



**Bilingual Storytime**: May 15 – 10:30-11 a.m. - Enjoy stories in English and Spanish, and a craft.

**Preschool Storytime** is held every Wednesday from 10:30-11:00 a.m. – Kids enjoy stories, songs, and a simple craft.

#### GRADESCHOOLERS (age 5-12):

RUFF! Readers – Every Tuesday 3:30-4:30 – Come and read to our wonderful **Therapy Dogs**! RUFF Readers can earn a FREE BOOK by reading 5 books to a dog. Sign-ups encouraged; walk-ins welcome.



#### **FUN-Tastic Fridays!**

Every Friday 3:30-4:30 p.m. After-school Crafts, Games, and Activities for Ages 5-12. All materials provided FREE:

- May 3 Create your winning entry...San Diego County Library is having a Centennial Art Contest! All materials provided FREE
- May 10 Didn't complete your entry? That's OK, the art materials will still be available. All finished? Enjoy a Board Game
- May 17 Play a Card Game with Kamryn
- May 24 The Purple Lady will help you create a patriotic craft for Memorial Day
- May 31 In honor of Older Americans Month\* Bring a Friend of ANY age and play a Board Game – Parents & Grandparents especially invited!
- June 7 Lego Day!

Your library offers hundreds of free events and classes.

Find them at www.sdcl.org

#### TWEENS/TEENS (AGE 8-17):

May 9 – 3:30 – **Haiku & Chinese Lantern** – Create beautiful Haiku and Chinese Lantern poetry, and include it in a lantern craft. All materials provided! Tweens & Teens are invited: ages 8-17.



May 16 – 3:30 – Centennial Art Contest – We'll have a box of art supplies – Draw a picture of the library's past or future; what will the Alpine Library look like 100 years from now? Age 8-16. Contest deadline is May 31.

Every Thurs – 3-5 p.m. – Enjoy our Wii games.

#### **ALL AGES:**

Every Wednesday – 3-5 p.m. – **Crochet Corner** – Bring a friend or family member – Yarn and hooks provided. ALL AGES WELCOME!

#### ADULTS/SENIORS:

May 2 – 6-8 p.m. – **Knit for a Cause: Stitches From the Heart** – Gather to chat and knit baby hats, etc. for Stitches From The Heart. All items are given to newborns in need.

May 11 – 2-3 p.m. – **Road Scholar** – Learn how to plan inexpensive, fun and enriching trips! Travel expert Jill Swaim will present a slideshow in honor of **Older Americans Month**\*. Formerly



Elderhostel, Road Scholar offers a wide array of exciting and educational trips. Bring a friend!

May 18 – 10-11 a.m. – **Alpine Book Club** - We will discuss *The Elegance of the Hedgehog* by Muriel Barbery.

May 30 – 10-11 a.m. – **Balboa Park: San Diego Art Institute**(SDAI) – The Director of Education for the SDAI: Museum of the Living Artist will share info on this unique gallery with displays by local artists. Fifth in a series featuring museums of Balboa Park.



#### **ALFA Bookstore**

2554 Alpine Blvd.

Wed - Sun: 10-4: Closed Mon & Tues

## May 2013



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 10:30 AM-Preschool Storytime 3:00 PM-Crochet Corner	2	3 9:45 AM-Baby Storytime 3:30 PM-FUN-Tastic Friday: Centennial	4
				From The Heart	Art Contest	
5	6	7 3:30 PM-RUFF Readers - Read With a Therapy Dog	8 10:30 AM-Local Heroes Storytime: Search & Rescue Dogs 3:00 PM-Crochet Corner	9 3:00 PM-Tween & Teen Wii Games 3:00 PM-Tween & Teen: Write a Haiku and create a Chinese Lantern	10 9:45 AM-Baby Storytime 3:30 PM-FUN-Tastic Friday: Centennial Art Contest (continued)	11 2:00 PM-Road Scholar: Budget Travel for Seniors: OAM Event*
12 Mother's Day	13	3:30 PM-RUFF Readers - Read With a Therapy Dog	15 10:30 AM-Bilingual Preschool Storytime 3:00 PM-Crochet Corner	16 3:00 PM-Tween & Teen Wii Games 3:30 PM-Tweens & Teens: Alpine History Art Contest	9:45 AM-Baby Storytime 3:30 PM-FUN-Tastic Friday: Card games	18 10:00 AM- Alpine Book Club
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26	All Day- Memorial Day Holiday Closure	28 3:30 PM-RUFF Readers - Read With a Therapy Dog	29 10:30 AM-Puppet Books Storytime 3:00 PM-Crochet Corner	30 3:00 PM-Tween & Teen Wii Games 6:00 PM-Balboa Park Series: San Diego Art Institute	31 All Day-Fine Free Friday 9:45 AM-Baby Storytime 3:30 PM-FUN-Tastic Friday: Multi- generational Board games: OAM Event*	

\*Older Americans Month is a proud tradition honoring the value that elders contribute to our communities. This year's theme—"Unleash the Power of Age!"—highlights the significant contributions made by thousands of older Americans across our nation.



Find our monthly calendars here: http://sdcl.org/locations\_AL.html